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CITY ASKS FOR FINANCIAL DATA ON LUTHERAN CHURCH PROPERTY

A joint meeting on May 26 of city council and the ad hoc committee on disposition of the Lutheran Church site revealed a need for additional figures on costs. Mayor Edgar Smith said that the degree to which the city would be an interested party in using the building for recreation and other purposes would be dependent on what the city's share of the costs would be.

George Beauchamp, speaking on behalf of the ad hoc committee, noted that the major proposals put forward to date require the participation of Greenbelt Homes, Inc., and the city. These proposals call for either GHI to purchase the property and lease the building to the city or for GHI to purchase part of the land and for the city to purchase the building.

About 3 acres are involved, valued at something less than \$20,000 per acre, and a structure which has been valued at various amounts up to \$50,000. The Church is seeking to dispose of the Ridge Rd. property because it is moving into a new sanctuary on Greenbelt Rd.

Beauchamp said that as the city grows there is going to be increasing demand for space for recreational activities and meeting places. The planned addition to the Youth Center, he said, may not be able to meet all these needs. Already, he said, the Greenbelt Nursery School has indicated an interest in renting quarters at the Lutheran building on a long-term basis. The Boys Club needs space for storage of equipment and for certain activities such as boxing.

City Manager James Giese was less optimistic about the use of the Lutheran building for recreational facilities, since he visualized the Youth Center addition as meeting many space demands. He saw the major demand for space coming from the police department, which is already taxing Municipal Building facilities to the limit.

Church representatives reported that they have tried to interest other church and non-profit groups in the property but to no avail. Commercial concerns have indicated interest, if the property could be zoned for R-18 (high-density apartments).

The council said that before it could take a stand, it would need more data on what the gap would be between income and outgo (including amortization and upkeep of the property) which the city would be expected to subsidize. Such a subsidy, the council indicated, could be justified if the property were used effectively for recreational or other city-needed activities.

Lions Publish Directory, Request Updated Listings

The Lions Club of Greenbelt is publishing a new City Directory, as it has bi-annually for the past several years. There may be some citizens who did not notice the last article in the *News Review* requesting individuals who do not desire their names in the new City Directory to notify President Ken Kennedy, 474-6329, of their desires. Others have so responded and names or numbers have appropriately been deleted. The Directory list has been updated as of Feb. 16, 1969, by the C & P Telephone Co. of Maryland.

It is requested that all persons having recently established residence within the City of Greenbelt and who desire to be included in the new Directory, scheduled to be published on July 1, 1969, notify Lion President Kennedy, Lion's Club, P. O. Box 248, or Postmaster Emory Harman within the next week.

First Carnival of the Year

Greenbelt's first carnival of the year will be taking place June 9-15 on the parking lot in front of Candy Cane City. The carnival is sponsored by the Maryland City Chapter No. 23 of the Disabled American Veterans of Greenbelt. Proceeds will go to the DAV hospital welfare fund.

WHAT GOES ON

Mon., June 9, 8 p.m. City Budget Adoption Meeting, Municipal Bldg.

Thurs., June 12, 7:45 p.m. G.H.I. Board Meeting, Hamilton Pl.

Lake Park Music Program

The City Recreation Department will sponsor another bandstand program at the Lake. On June 11 the C & P Telephone Company Glee Club will entertain at the Band Stand at 7:45 p.m. This fine group has been loudly acclaimed throughout the Washington, D. C. area.

On June 14 the Bowie High School "Starlighters" will perform. This very unusual group, made up of high school students, plays dance band music as well as other popular tunes. You won't want to miss this one.

American Indian Exhibit Now at Twin Pines

An unusual contemporary American Indian exhibit is now on display at the Twin Pines Savings and Loan Association. The Anselm Davis Family (Navajo-Choc-taw) has combined the traditional and the contemporary into a collection of decorative accent items. Of interest, also, is a collection of silver jewelry executed by senior high students from Win-gate, New Mexico.

The exhibit is dominated by the Indian concept of the Mexican Ojo de Dios or God's eye which is used to ward off evil spirits. Authentic pottery and Kachinas (ceremonial doll figures) are also included.

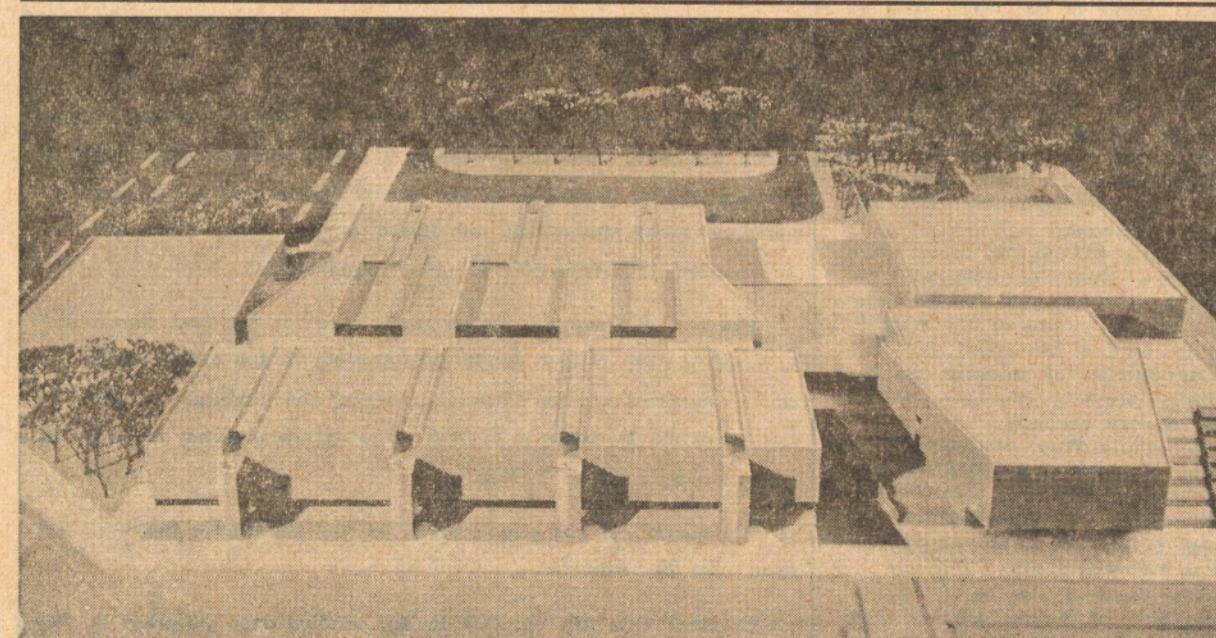
Notice of Special Meeting and Agenda

Monday, June 9, 1969 at 8:00 P.M.

There will be a Special Meeting of City Council on Monday, June 9, 1969 at 8:00 p.m. for the following.

1. Consideration of the Fiscal Year 1969/70 Budget
2. Ordinance to Adopt a Budget for the City of Greenbelt, to Appropriation Funds and Establish Real Estate, Personal Property and Special Taxing District Tax Rates for the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1969 and Ending June 30, 1970.

Nita P. Sacra
City Clerk



Architect's model of the planned new Greenbelt senior high school building. Commons and auditorium, to be shared with the proposed new junior high school, are on right. Gymnasium is at left. View is from the Baltimore-Washington Parkway side looking west. Perimeter road will be at the far side beyond the building.

New High School by 1971 But Roads Still a Problem

by Elaine Skolnik

"A new Greenbelt Senior High School by September 1971" was the hope of architect Dennis Madden, as the Prince Georges County Board of Education approved preliminary school plans on Tuesday, May 28.

The 101-room fully air-conditioned structure with related facilities will be located on parcel 2 — the land between the Greenbelt Homes, Inc., property and the Baltimore-Washington Parkway, south of Northway Rd. extended (sanitary land fill road). It will be part of an eventual three-school complex. Plans call for a junior high school to be constructed by 1974 and an elementary school later, both to share many of the senior high school facilities.

Perimeter Road

The site plan, prepared by the firm of Walton, Madden, Cooper, and Auerbach, calls for the high school entrances to be located along a newly-constructed portion of the perimeter road. The perimeter road is intended to provide out-of-town traffic with ready access to parcel 2 without overburdening the narrow two-lane streets of "core" Greenbelt. According to the College Park-Greenbelt Master Plan adopted by the Maryland National Capital Park and Planning Commission, the perimeter road would start at Greenbelt Rd. at Beltway Plaza near the A&P, cut across Springhill Lake and the Capital Beltway, swing along the northern boundary of the city, and then head southwards through parcels 1 and 2, crossing the Baltimore-Washington Parkway near Hamilton Place, and connecting up with Greenbelt Rd. again.

However, the realization of this perimeter road is many years away as rights-of-way still remain to be obtained and there is a question of who will provide the financing. The school board has agreed to construct that part of the perimeter road that goes through its property.

School Traffic

This means that until the perimeter road is completed, all school traffic will have to be channeled through Northway Rd. extended, Madden said. The perimeter road at this point will run perpendicular to Northway extended and parallel to Ridge Rd. The senior and junior high schools will be located on 50 acres east of the perimeter road. The elementary school will be located on the other side of the perimeter road on the tract closest to GHI property.

In addition to the 60-odd acres originally purchased from owners Charles Bresler, Theodore Lerner, and associates, the school board has negotiated with the owners for the purchase of a 10-acre strip parallel to and north of Northway extended. This land is needed to replace the acreage given up for the perimeter road and will be used to accommodate the location of the junior high school. The school board also will receive from the city the 4½ acre sanitary land fill and rights-of-way along the sanitary land fill road. The city expects to be able to use the senior high school athletic facilities, which include football, baseball, softball, soccer and hockey fields, and four tennis courts.

2,400 Capacity

An unusual feature of the new school is that it will be built all at once for an ultimate capacity of 2,400 students, rather than in piecemeal sections as has been the case with other schools. There will be parking facilities for 900 cars. Madden said that this method of construction gives "us the opportunity to put everything in its right place and affords a tremendous advantage for grouping." The plans designate that instructional facilities for each subject be kept together in blocks.

Another unique feature of the school complex will be the sharing of the dining and kitchen facilities (Commons) and mechanical plant, which will provide gas fired heat and cooling. A folding partition in the Commons will separate the senior and junior high students. Food for the elementary school children will be packed into warming equipment and trucked over to the school. Under this set-up, one staff will operate the kitchen. The Commons, described by Madden as probably the largest room ever built by the Board of Education, would be available when not in use as a dining room for other types of functions and activities.

Auditorium

Serving both the senior and junior high schools will be an auditorium capable of holding approximately 850 students at one time. Folding walls would enable the space to be sub-divided into three large rooms for instructional purposes. These rooms, Madden said, should be utilized every period of every day in the school schedule.

Because of age differences, the junior and senior high schools will maintain separate gymnasiums and recreational facilities. The athletic fields will be separated by a natural barrier. The gymnasiums, plus the Commons and auditorium, will be so placed that they may be closed off from the schools and programmed for independent and separate use.

School Board Impressed

The joint use of facilities and construction of the school at its full capacity drew favorable responses from school board members, as did also the design of the senior high school building. The building, rectangular in shape, will be essentially windowless with many interior rooms. Light, however, will filter in through windows at the ends of corridors and through a skylight covering the two-level resource center (library and reading room balconies). Of brick and glass construction, the structure will rise two stories on the perimeter road side and three on the Parkway side.

School Superintendent William Schmidt noted that the design lends itself to the concept of a longer school day for secondary schools and the operation of schools on a 12-month basis. Population growth in the county has produced overcrowded conditions, and the time may come when the school timetable may have to be adjusted, Schmidt said. The longer school year would also reduce county school construction costs. An additional advantage of the school complex is the opportunity to schedule accelerated programs for students.

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Letters to the Editor

A Job Well Done

Through this medium, I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to Mr. Anthony Madson, Nationwide Insurance Co., and to the Greenbelt Federal Credit Union for their very kind and generous contribution to the Scholarship Fund.

Thanks and appreciation are also extended to Mrs. Frank Lewis and daughter Wendy and Miss Raytkwich for their very kind efforts.

To those kind and wonderful people who attended and made contributions, please accept my heartfelt thanks.

Special acknowledgement must be given to Frank Lewis, director and the N.S.A. Gleemen for donating their time and great talent in making the evening and the Scholarship Fund a success.

Last, but not least, a vote of thanks is extended to my husband, Ben, for his outstanding performance as Master of Ceremonies.

The primary purpose of the Scholarship Fund is to provide scholarships for potential adult and youth leaders in the Inner City to attend the Cooperative Institute, and also to provide scholarships for leadership training for our young people to attend the American Institute for Cooperation.

Interested individuals who would like to contribute to this worthy cause, may do so, by mailing their contribution to Scholarship Fund - Greenbelt Consumer Services, 3547 Piney Branch Road, Silver Spring, Md. 20901.

Again, many thanks.

Mrs. Ben (Ethel) Rosenzweig, Chairman, Scholarship Fund

Failure to Answer

Even though I am late in doing so, I should like to thank all those who voted for me in the recent GHI election.

I have but one regret with respect to the campaign leading to the election. There was no way or at least I saw no way to explain, or if need be defend, the record of the incumbent board. Necessarily non-incumbents had to question or attack policies adopted by the board. These questions and attacks were permitted to go almost completely unanswered. This failure to answer was unfair to GHI members. They were denied ready access to information or points of view that they should have had to assist them in reaching reasonable conclusions.

I do not suggest that if the record of the board over the past year or two had been elucidated, the election results would have been different. Speculation on that score is pointless. My regret has to do entirely with my own failure to communicate.

Charles F. Schwan

Thanks

Mrs. Wetter's sixth grade would like to express their gratitude to the lady who complimented the underpass that we painted. We painted to express our ideas on what we have done this year in our class. Our grade would also like to say that many of our other underpasses are being painted by other classes in Greenbelt Center Elementary School. Invitations are extended to all who have not seen our work.

Mrs. Wetter's sixth grade

James B. Thomas

James B. Thomas, 56-D Ridge, died after a long illness. He is survived by his daughters, Sharon and Karen, and sons, Ronald, James, and Neal.

Wilson-McDonnell

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey B. Wilson of Lewisburg, West Virginia, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Sara Elizabeth, to Brian Mather McDonnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard J. McDonnell of 2-J Northway. The wedding will be held on August 2 at Calvary Methodist Church near Lewisburg.

Miss Wilson is a graduate of West Virginia University, where she was president of Pi Beta Phi Sorority and was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, national scholastic honorary. Recently, she lived in Thailand for six months as an International Farm Youth Exchange delegate.

Her fiance is a graduate of West Virginia University, where he was a member of Sigma Chi Fraternity. He is now attending West Virginia University Law School.

Ruleman-Prezzi

Former Greenbelters, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ruleman of Glenn Dale, announce the marriage of their daughter Donna to Nicholas Prezzi, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Prezzi of College Park. The ceremony took place on May 30 at the Methodist Church in College Park. The groom is with the United States Marines and returned in March from a 15-month tour of service in Vietnam. The bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hitt, 5-E Ridge.

4-H Lucky Leaves

Six girls from our 4-H club participated in Prince Georges County Demonstration Day at Upper Marlboro. The demonstrations and ribbons were as follows: Janis McFarland, Peek-A-Boo Coffee Cake, Blue; Sarah Brown, Peek-A-Boo Easter Egg, Blue; Barbara Farrell, Fun With Pictures, Red; Kathleen Coyne, Table Setting, Red; Kathy Kiddy, How to Groom a Horse, Red; Patty Levesque, Burlap Creativity, Red. Janis and Sarah gave champion demonstrations, so they had the opportunity to represent Prince Georges County at District Demonstration Day recently, in Saint Mary's County. 4-H members from five southern Maryland counties participated. Janis received a purple ribbon and Sarah received a red ribbon. Their demonstrations were the same as the ones they gave at Upper Marlboro.

Our twelve Lucky Leaves are busy making skirts and blouses for the 4-H style show in Hyattsville in July. Most of us are looking forward to fun at camp in Garrett County in June or July.

Street Construction

To Commence Shortly

The street construction program for the current year is scheduled to begin on Monday, June 9, according to word received from the contractor, the Nazario Construction Co. The total job, to cost \$25,167, involves construction of curbing, sidewalks and gutters, as well as the widening of Woodland Way. Some of the work, such as removal of existing curbs and gutters which need replacing, will be done by the city's Public Works Dept. The city crew will also do the filling before and behind new curbs, seed or sod the filled areas behind the curbs, and make necessary arrangements to driveway entrances.

Curbing will be laid along Crescent Rd. from Southway to 4 Ct. and a sidewalk will be constructed from the site of the new library to the Municipal Building. (Construction of sidewalk on the library property itself is part of the library contract.)

Woodland Way will be widened from Forestway to Hillside, with curbs constructed on both sides of the street. Parking shoulders and new curbing will be constructed near 7 Research and 5 Plateau.

The contract also calls for construction of valley gutters with curbs between 1 and 2 Cts of Gardenway and Crescent Rd; between 57 and 55 Ridge; between 2 Laurel Hill and 61 Ridge; west of 2 Plateau; and between the gas station on Crescent Rd. and 51 Crescent.

Crowder-Raynor

Former Greenbelters Mr. and Mrs. Owen C. Crowder of Adelphi, Maryland announce the engagement of their daughter Frances Jean to Kenneth M. Raynor, Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth M. Raynor, Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth M. Raynor, Sr. of West Hyattsville, Maryland. A December wedding is planned.

Nelson-Robinson

Mr. and Mrs. George Nelson, 35-D Ridge Rd., announce the engagement of their daughter Elizabeth to Spt 5 Richard Michael Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Robinson of Worcester, Mass. The wedding will be June 7.

St. Hugh's Roman

Catholic Church

135 Crescent Rd.

Sunday Masses

8:00, 9:30, 11:00,
12:30 p.m.

Beck-McSween

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence B. Beck of 9164 Edmonston Ave., announce the engagement of their daughter, Carol Lynne, to Donald Boyd McSween, son of Mrs. Mildred L. McSween, of Richmond, Virginia. Miss Beck is presently enrolled as a Junior at Carson Newman College in Jefferson City, Tennessee. Mr. McSween is enrolled as a Junior at the University of Georgia in Athens. No date has been set.

Greenbelt Community Church

(United Church of Christ)
Hillside & Crescent RoadsThe Rev. Robert L. Field, Pastor
474-6171Sunday, June 8, 9:30 a.m.
Church School (Grades 5 and 6) and Adult Bible Classes.

10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service: Presentation of new education program.

Infant care - 2-B Hillside.
Nursery and Kindergarten - Fellowship Center. Primary - Social Hall.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

(Mowatt Memorial) 40 Ridge Road, Greenbelt, Md. 20770
Rev. Wm. E. Ravenscroft, Pastor
Church School 9:30 A.M.
(3rd grade thru adults)
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
(Nursery with classes thru 2nd grade)

9:45 A.M. Sunday School 6:00 P.M. Training Union
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship 7:00 P.M. Evening Worship
Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. - Prayer Meeting

GREENBELT BAPTIST CHURCH

Crescent & Greenhill S. Jasper Morris, Jr., Pastor 474-4040

HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH

22 Ridge Road, Greenbelt, Maryland, GR 4-4477
Edward H. Birner, Pastor, GR 4-9200
WORSHIP SERVICES 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.
SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:30 a.m.
WEEKDAY NURSERY



BOARD OF EDUCATION OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Registration for Kindergarten and First Grade for the 1969-1970 School Term

The Board of Education announces that registration for kindergarten and first grade for the 1969-1970 school term will be held on Friday, June 6, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., in ALL ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS.

Parents should register their child at the elementary school which will serve their attendance area in the 1969-1970 school year. If parents are in doubt as to the school which will serve their attendance area, please call the Board of Education Office for this information. TELEPHONE: 627-4800, Extension 315.

Parents who are registering their child for the first time either in kindergarten or first grade should bring in the child's birth certificate as proof of age. Children entering the kindergarten must be five years old by January 1, 1970. First grade children must be six years old by January 1, 1970.

Verification of the child's smallpox and diphtheria immunization must also be presented.

Children who are enrolled in the kindergarten program in this school year of 1968-1969 in the Prince George's County Public Schools need not register.

City Notes

The new fences being erected around the two silt traps near the lake are designed to prevent toddlers from falling down the steep banks into water that is over their heads. The fences are not designed to keep away older adventurers, and for that reason the two ends, through which the stream channels flow and where the banks are low, are being left open. A thorny type of ground cover will be planted inside the fences and down the banks of the ponds to prevent erosion and to discourage trespassing.

Fencing of the silt trap between Olivewood and Lakecrest was finished this week and work was begun on the new one behind the Pepco substation.

A new evergreen tree was planted on the green parkland between Crescent Rd. and Centerway recently in memory of Angus B. MacGregor, landscape gardener for the federal government at the time Greenbelt was first laid out. It replaces another tree dedicated to the late Mr. MacGregor, which has since been overtaken and surrounded by densely shading trees. Head gardener to J. P. Morgan before coming to Greenbelt, MacGregor was the father of Mrs. George Daffan, 11-A Hillside.

The Parks crew has also kept busy planting crepe myrtle shrubs along Edmonston Rd. near the Beltway exit as part of the beautification program for that area and laying new sod in the enclosed grassy area at the swimming pool. The new sod is bermuda grass, which will withstand heavy wear.

The city has now hired eleven high school and college boys as extra hands for the summer. Two will work with the main Public Works Dept. crew and nine will be assigned to supplement the Parks crew under the supervision of Hans Jorgensen, Parks Director. The latter group includes four, whose major job will be maintenance of the ball fields, in which capacity they will work closely with the Recreation Dept. The remaining men will be assigned primarily to the lake park, though both groups may be assigned temporarily to other jobs as the need arises. Weekend schedules will be rotated among the workers.

In addition to the new summer help, the city has hired a new worker to act as custodian for the city buildings.

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Complaints last week about smoke rising from the municipal landfill arose after trespassing children set fire to trash on a day when the landfill operator was off work. The city no longer burns trash, in compliance with a county ordinance passed last year which prohibits such operations.

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Sidewalks and driveway entrances on Lastner Lane and Rosewood are being repaired by the developer of the King's Point Homes in Boxwood Village.

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After queries came in to the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (COG) from Greenbelt and College Park concerning a regional policy for the granting of franchises for cable TV reception, COG has proposed the employing of a consultant to make recommendations on the subject.

The Greenbelt city council was recently contacted by a private company for such a franchise, which would allow the erection of a master antenna to be connected by telephone lines to individual sets in the homes. The franchise is required because the cables will use public right-of-ways. Cable TV is claimed to provide clearer reception and to offer more channels than are available by conventional means.

The Public Works Dept. made further improvements recently at the city cemetery, laying down pathways of bluestone and eliminating weeds with a chemical weed killer.

Recreation Review

Men's & Women's Open Tennis Tournament: Entries may be made by calling 474-6878. The deadline for entries is Friday, June 6. Play starts at 1 p.m. on Sunday, June 8. Check in at the courts at that time to find out your playing time. Men's and Women's Singles and also Men's Doubles will be played. The finals will be held on Sunday, June 14.

Camp Pine Tree Notice: Camp Pine Tree is becoming more and more crowded each day. To assure your child a place in this fine camp atmosphere, mail in your applications and deposits soon.

Summer Class Schedules: The Recreation Department Summer Schedule has been sent to the printer and is expected to be ready for distribution any day now. Fliers will be distributed through the schools. Information concerning registration times and dates for classes, other activities and general schedule information is included.

Adult Golf Lessons: Adult golf lessons are now being offered on Saturday mornings at Braden Field. Call the Recreation Department to have your name placed on the list.

Local Interest Grows**For Ice Skating Rink**

Citizen requests for ice skating facilities in Greenbelt have grown steadily during recent months according to Darald Lofgren, Recreation Department Director.

Lofgren commented at the last Park and Recreation Advisory Board meeting, that although provisions for such a facility have been carried in the city's long-range capital budget for at least the past five years, other positive action has not been taken.

Apparently spurred by the recent construction and immediate success of other artificial rinks in the area, such as the Wheaton Regional Rink, requests by local citizens for a Greenbelt rink have reached an all-time high.

Lofgren said that citizens interested in having an artificial rink for Greenbelt residents should make known their interest by calling the Recreation Department, telephone 474-6878.

Karate Class

We have a women's class in self-defense going on at the Youth Center on Tuesday evenings. Call us for further information. Ron Btanga, a Black Belt Karate Instructor teaches.

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Our Neighbors

Elaine Skolnik - 474-6060

Congratulations to Mrs. June A. Francisco, who was recently cited for outstanding performance for displaying "versatility and vivid imagination in accomplishing all tasks assigned in her position as Accounts Maintenance Clerk in the Administrative Office of the Animal Husbandry Research Division, Beltsville." Mrs. Francisco, her husband John, and daughter Beverly reside at 2-H Northway.

Marianne T. Hill, 109 Northway, was initiated into Phi Beta Kappa on May 20. She is a math major at the University of Maryland.

Richard Wertz, 13-U Hillside, graduated from Concordia Teachers College of Seward, Nebraska, on May 21. He received a BS degree in Education.

Marilyn Beth Hanby Durham of Greenbelt received a BS degree in mathematics from Auburn University, Auburn, Alabama on June 3.

Charles Butler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Butler, 5-G Gardenway, graduated from the Great Lakes Training Center, Illinois. He will be stationed in Illinois.

Mrs. Patricia White, a special education teacher at North End School, won the "best in show" ribbon at the "Prince Georges Artists Today" exhibit held at Prince Georges Plaza. Her works have been shown in various local shows during the past year with a one-man show at the Paint Branch Unitarian Church in Adelphi.

Charles E Schmidt, 219 Lakeside, will graduate from the Georgetown University School of Medicine on June 8 and intern at Georgetown.

University of Maryland students Phyllis Rosenzweig, 4-E Crescent, and Barbara Geller, 117 Northway, have been elected to membership in Alpha Lambda Delta, the national freshman women's scholastic honorary fraternity.

Paul S. Lentz, 5 Orange, received a BS degree in physics and music from Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa., on May 25.

Army Specialist Four Donald L. Shirkey, 20, son of Mrs. Lila Shirkey, 9128 Edmonston Ter., is stationed near Pleiku, Vietnam, as a mechanic.

Seaman Frederick N. Berg, USN, 9118 Edmonston Court, is serving aboard the submarine USS Sea Poacher in the Eastern Atlantic Ocean.

It's a boy for Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hamer, 8005 Lakecrest. Frank III was born May 4, weighing 6 lbs. 2 oz.

It's a pink bundle for Mr. and Mrs. James McVay, 53-P Ridge. Catherine Marie made her debut May 6, and weighed in at 7 lbs. 8 oz. She joins a brother, Stephen, and her maternal grandmother is Mrs. Louise Daffron, 23-L Ridge.

The happiest birthday ever to June Barbie Goldstein, 6-Y Plateau, who celebrates her eighth birthday on June 1.

There's a new baby at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Lawson, 25-F Ridge. Dustin Ray was born April 18, weighing 7 lbs. 8 1/2 oz. He joins Lynnette Ann, Robert Lee and Wendy Marie.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barcheski, 27-F Parkway, proudly announce the arrival of a son. Aaron Charles was born April 20 and tipped the scales at 7 lbs. 5 oz.

Seymour Trab, 9121 Market Lane, received a Juris Doctor degree from Georgetown University Law Center at June 8 commencement exercises.

Howard Chasanow, 56 Lakeside, former deputy State's Attorney for Prince George's County, just back from an 18-month tour of duty in Japan and Korea, is picking up where he left off with the assistance of State's Attorney Arthur A. Marshall, Jr. Chasanow has been recommended to receive the Air Force Commendation Medal for his part in monitoring construction projects in Japan with the Civil Engineers Branch of Headquarters of the 5th Air Force.

George and Reiko Beckert eked out a 1-point victory in the last duplicate bridge game. Second place went to Adelaide and Ed Kaighn. Next game: Friday, June 13. The game is open to all. No reservations or partners needed.

1st Qtr. GHI Operations Follow Budget Closely

A first-quarter financial statement for Greenbelt Homes, Inc., shows that both receipts and expenditures were greater than anticipated. The net effect, according to the report prepared by GHI comptroller Don McGinn, was a difference of only \$1,244 in the corporation's position from that forecast by the budget. The budget had anticipated that disbursements would exceed income by \$32,116 at the end of the first quarter and the actual figure was \$33,260. (A first-quarter deficit is always anticipated because of seasonal heating costs.)

A major factor impairing the position of the corporation in the first quarter was a \$6,008 bill for the February boiler flood damage. This, of course, was an unbudgeted and unexpected cost.

Most other expenditure items followed closely the amounts budgeted. Water costs were surprisingly lower than anticipated as the replacement of old water lines eliminated some of the leakage. On the other hand, heating costs jumped during the first quarter - by \$3,759 for the brick homes and by \$6,411 for the frame homes. The former was due to increased consumption, the latter to an increase in the price of #6 oil.

Greenbelters were saddened by the death of longtime resident Mrs. Doris Bartholomew, 2-A Eastway. Her late husband, Ralph, served on the GHI Board of Directors.

Lt. Colonel Raymond Smith of the United States Army, White Birch Court, spoke to the sixth grade students of North End School recently. Lt. Colonel Smith, whose son Ronald is a sixth grader in the school, discussed different places where he was stationed, important to modern United States History. Colored slides were shown of West Germany, Panama, Korea and Vietnam.

Young-Gil Kim, 14-B Ridge, was awarded a master of science degree in metallurgical engineering from the University of Missouri on May 25.

Airman Richard G. Loutsch, son of George W. Loutsch, 13 Maplewood Court, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to Keesler AFB, Miss., for training in communications electronics systems.

Airman Thomas R. Haslinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Haslinger, 11-N Ridge, graduated from a United States Air Force technical school at Kessler AFB, Mississippi. He was trained as an administrative specialist.

Barbara Baker, 9003 Breezwood, was named to the Dean's List at Indiana University's annual Founders Day ceremonies.

Barbara Skolnik received the Theodore Bodenwein Prize (Day Publishing Company) for newspaper writing at the annual Honors and Awards Assembly held recently at Connecticut College in New London. Barbara, a junior, is co-editor of Conn Census, the student newspaper.

Private Wayne Coulter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Coulter, is home on leave from Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.

The annual Kite Fly Contest of Cub Pack 1253 produced the following winners: Robert Nakamoto, best effort; David Morrow, most original; Keith Bailey, best workmanship and appearance. Those receiving prizes for the first three kites to get above tree level (with fathers assisting) were Eric Hedlund, first, John Hall, second, and Larry Lipov, third.

Army Specialist Four, Richard Ransom, was named soldier of the month for the U. S. Army Joint Household Goods Shipping Office Washington Area in Alexandria, Va., March 28. An administrative clerk in the unit, Spec. Ransom was selected for his soldierly appearance, knowledge and performance of duties and military courtesy. Before entering the Army, he was employed by the U. S. Post Office in Greenbelt. His mother, Mrs. Mary Ransom, and his wife, Kathryn, reside in Greenbelt.

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Amendments to the Charter of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland were adopted on May 19, 1969 by the City Council of Greenbelt. The title of each Resolution, which is a fair summary of each amendment, is as follows:

Charter Amendment RESOLUTION NO. 161

Resolution of the City of Greenbelt Adopted Pursuant to the Authority of Article 11E of the Constitution of Maryland and Section 13 of Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition as Amended) Title "Corporation-Municipal", Sub-title, "Home Rule", to Amend the Charter of the City of Greenbelt, Said Charter Being Section 40 of Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1963 Edition) and Containing in Whole or in Part the Charter of the City of Greenbelt, by Adding a New Section, Section 40-11A, Title "Same; Codification", to Provide for the Codification or Recodification of City Ordinances and a Procedure for the Adoption of such Codification or Recodification.

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Charter Amendment RESOLUTION NO. 164

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Charter Amendment RESOLUTION NO. 165

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Charter Amendment RESOLUTION NO. 166

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Charter Amendment RESOLUTION NO. 167

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City's Assessed Value Now at \$44 Million

by Virginia Beauchamp

New county tax assessment figures recently received by the office of the city treasurer raise Greenbelt's assessed valuation to slightly more than \$44,000,000. This figure represents an approximate increase of \$4,100,000 from the previous year's assessed valuation of about \$39,900,000.

In large part the increase represents a major, comprehensive reappraisal of three categories of real estate in the city—the Greenbelt Homes, Inc. property, the single family homes, and the Greenbelt commercial center. But the completion of new apartment buildings in Section 9 of the Springhill Lake development and full occupancy in the high rise apartment building in Charlestowne Village also contributed to the rise in assessed valuation. (Only those portions of newly completed buildings that are actually occupied receive tax assessments at full value.)

The tax assessment for GHI properties, which is currently being appealed by the housing cooperative, has been raised from about \$6,400,000 to about \$7,900,000. Similarly, the owner of a single family Greenbelt residence will be faced with an increase in assessed valuation—on the average about \$2,000, according to an estimate by city treasurer Mabel L. Kandler. Changes in valuation for the commercial center reflect greater occupancy in the Medical Center building, a lower valuation on the 30-year-old buildings in the Cohen property, and a higher valuation on the land they occupy, resulting in a higher overall figure.

The total increase in tax valuation for the city does not necessarily represent the final figure for the current year, according to city manager James K. Giese. Not all notifications of change in assessment may yet have been received by the city, he noted. In addition, the GHI figure, pending appeal, is still undetermined.

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A Bicycle Rodeo was held at the Center School last week. Safety Patrol Officer Robert Mulkey spoke to the group and Chief Lane thanked all the patrols for their good work during the school year.

A car stolen from Springhill Lake was recovered in Bowie before the owner missed it. However, no one was apprehended in the case.

A young lady was walking her dog at the lake at 8:30 p.m. on May 20, when she was approached by a white male in his 20's, who asked her where the nearest school was and what kind of dog she had. As she was walking away he grabbed her from behind, causing her to fall. He then exposed himself to her, after which he ran away and she ran to the nearest house to telephone police. Police are working from composite pictures of the suspect and are checking on people from their mug files.

On May 26, at 7:45 p.m. a teen-aged girl was walking in the Center's north parking lot near Parkway Road when she recognized someone in a passing automobile. As the car slowed down, she jumped onto the left fender. But since the car had just been waxed, she promptly fell off, hitting her head on the ground. She was taken by the Rescue Squad to Prince Georges Hospital with a bleeding wound.

A Crescent Rd. man in his 20's was arrested at 4:25 a.m. May 27, by county police in Hyattsville in a 1963 Chevrolet stolen from 14 Court Ridge. He was charged with auto larceny and assaulting a police officer. The young

Muskie to Speak At Commencement

U. S. Senator Edmund S. Muskie (D-Maine) will address this year's graduating class at the University of Maryland, College Park, on June 7. Commencement exercises for the largest graduation class on record will begin at 10 a.m. in the Cole Student Activities Building.

man was out on bail for previous auto larceny charges.

On May 22 at 12:30, Center School children were evacuated from the building because of a bomb scare. A person with a teenaged voice had telephoned the school secretary threatening that a bomb was due to explode. Children remained outside the building while the school was searched.

An unusual kitchen accident occurred at 3 a.m. one morning last week when a Crescent Rd. man fell backward, stabbing himself in the leg.

A motorcycle was stolen and the British-made engine removed. The engine was spotted by the owner in another motorcycle located in a Bladensburg yard. A charge of theft was made.

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Pre-college students who need remedial work in writing, mathematics, composition, and reading will be able to take developmental courses in these subjects this summer at Prince George's Community College.

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Registration for the first session classes will be held June 12, noon to 8 p.m. in the college cafeteria. Late registration will be held 1 to 7 p.m. in the Library Administration Building. For further information phone 336-6000, ext. 307, or write Prince George's Community College, 301 Largo Road, Largo, Md.

MEETING FOR NEW LWV MEMBERS

The League of Women Voters will hold a coffee Thursday evening, June 12, at 8 p.m., for new and prospective members. The coffee will be held at the home of unit chairman, Mrs. Barbara Karth, 8653 Brae Brooke Drive, Lanham.

Local Chapter of NARCE Formed

Eleven U. S. retired Civil Service employees from Greenbelt, Beltsville, Bowie, Laurel, and Savage met recently in the Hospitality Room of the Greenbelt Consumers Services store to discuss the organization of a local chapter of the National Association of Retired Civil Employees (NARCE). The six men and five women voted unanimously to form a local chapter.

There are known to be many other Civil Service retirees in this general area whose applications for membership in this new Greenbelt Chapter of NARCE would be gladly received.

Retirees interested should phone Mary P. Hann at 474-7375. You'll be glad you did.

NEW FENCING CLUB

A fencing club, under the direction of Vernon Meudt, has been formed at Springhill Lake. The club meets on Thursday nights from 6:30 to 10:30. The first half is devoted to the younger set and the second half to the adults.

Interested Greenbelters are invited to call Duane Burchick at 474-6587; no previous experience necessary.

Senior Citizens Festival

As May was Senior Citizens Month, the Greenbelt Golden Age Club invited the clubs from Prince Georges Plaza, Bladensburg, Beltsville and College Park to a festival in the gym of the Greenbelt Youth Center May 28. One hundred and fifty people attended a program featuring the Krazy Kats, a couple of Hillbillies, readings, a piano duet, the Harmony Boys, the Greenbelt Trio, and others.

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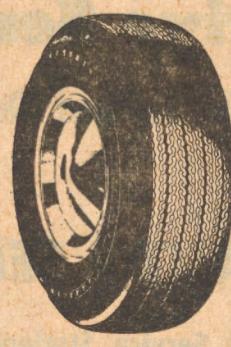
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